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LOVED PHYSICIAN CALLED IN DEATH

"Dr. L" Lyday Dies Shortly
After Suffering Stroke
of Paralysis

PRACTISED HERE FOR
THIRTY - NINE YEARS

Was Friend of All Who Knew
Him—Thousands People
at Funeral

A useful life, a loyal citizen and a beloved friend was removed from the community in the passing of Dr. A. E. Lyday, whose death occurred early Sunday morning at his home near Brevard, following a stroke of paralysis which he suffered on the previous Friday night. Funeral services were held Monday morning at 11 o'clock at the Little River Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. J. R. Owen, of Mars Hill, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Hileman, pastor of Riverside church, Asheville, Rev. Carl Blythe and Rev. W. S. Price, Jr., pastors of churches in this county. Interment was in the Little River cemetery adjoining the church.

Dr. Lyday, who was 64 years of age, was a native of Transylvania county, and had practiced medicine in this county for the past 39 years. He was the son of the late Dr. Andrew J. Lyday, who was greatly beloved physician in this county for 41 years, and for many years was the only physician living here, and died while attending one of his patients.

"Dr. L" as he was familiarly and lovingly known among his host of friends and numerous patients, had been an active and loyal member of the Enon Baptist church for the past 40 years, at all times ready and glad to assist in any way possible toward the welfare of his church and community. He numbered his friends by his acquaintances, as was attested by the large crowd attending the funeral, it being estimated that no less than a thousand people were in attendance, overflowing the church crowding around the grounds outside the building. It is said that at least thirty minutes were consumed in reviewing the last remains of the body in the church, many stopping to pat the cheek of their departed friend in loving farewell as they passed by the body.

In the death of Dr. Lyday, a greatly beloved friend, a highly respected and useful citizen, a Christian gentleman, and a trusted and capable physician was taken from the life of the community to pass on to his eternal reward. He had been in failing health for the past year or more, attending to the duties of his profession many times when physically unable to do so, willing to sacrifice his life for his work and his friends.

In addition to a host of friends throughout this and adjoining counties, there are surviving five brothers and sisters, including G. T. McCrary, Dr. W. M. Lyday, Dr. W. M. Lyday, all prominent citizens of Transylvania county, E. O. Lyday, of Bradenton, Fla., and Mrs. P. C. Surlette, of near Brevard, Mrs. J. P. Allison of Walhalla, S. C., and Mrs. George B. Morgan, of Asheville.

An adopted son, Clyde Blythe, also survives, and between the deceased and young Mr. Blythe existed a most beautiful love, it is said by neighbors. The physician adopted Mr. Blythe when the latter was an infant, and had reared him as a loving father would care for his own child.

Dr. "L" Lyday has left his imprint upon his community in such marked manner that it can never be erased. The people in every walk of life loved Dr. "L," and called him or went to him with their troubles—all their troubles, not merely their physical ills—and he heard them, and sympathized with them and advised them.

HEAD OF KIWANIS



JUNIOR ORDER IN SERIES OF MEETS

Members of the Junior Order in Brevard have planned a series of educational meetings, the first of which will be held this Thursday evening. The principles of the order are to be studied in the separate subjective matter, the first to be on the Holy Bible and the part it plays in the Junior Order.

At the meeting next week the Flag will be the subject to be studied in its relationship to the purposes of the Junior Order. It is believed the membership will be pleased with the program, and it is urged that as many members as can do so attend these meetings.

Degree work will be done tonight also.

COURT CALENDAR BEING PUBLISHED

Calendar for Superior court to begin on Monday, July 29, is being published on another page in today's paper. The term will be for civil cases only, and will last for two weeks. Among the interesting cases to be heard is that of Julian Glazener against the bus line, growing out of the collision some two years ago in which Mr. Glazener, Prof. T. C. Henderson and Donald Lee Moore were injured.

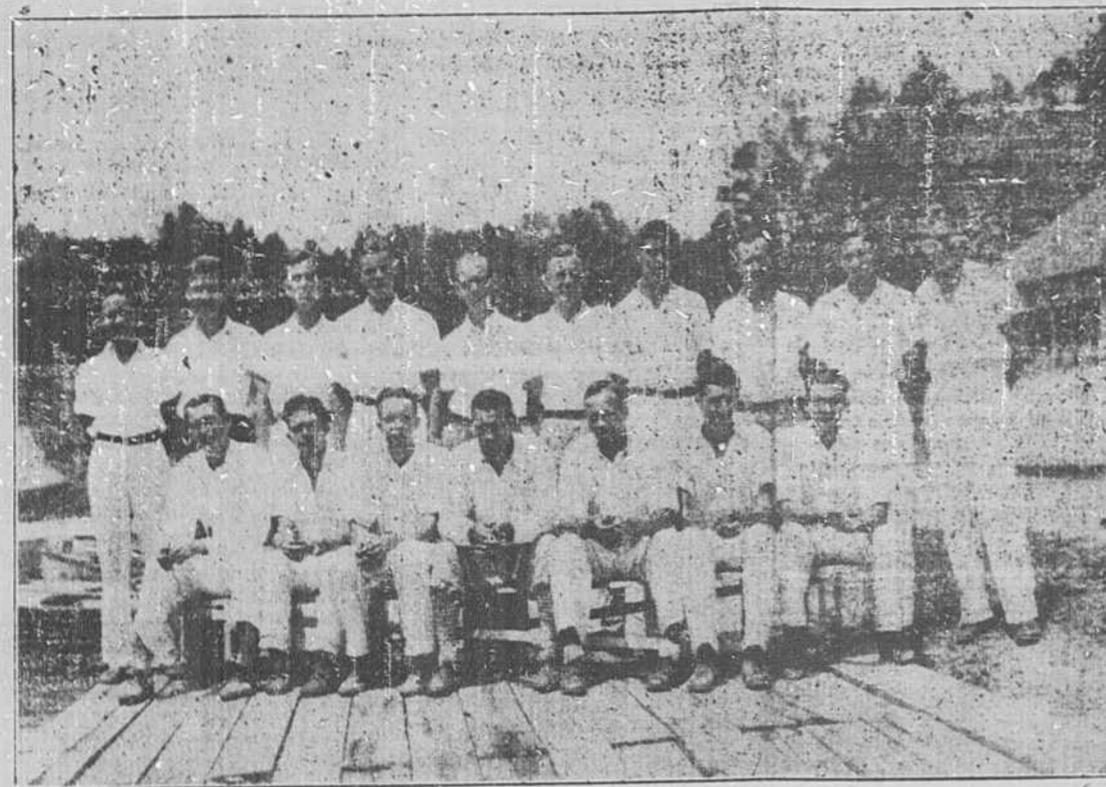
FINE REPORT MADE BY THE LIBRARIAN FOR THE WEEK

Librarian's report of the U. D. C. library for the week ending July 13 shows an increased attendance, several new members and new books added to the shelves.

The report for the week is as follows: 189 adult books and 52 juvenile books in circulation; nine new members enrolled; 224 adults and 8 juveniles in attendance; total number of books in circulation, 242. The eight new books added to the shelves include: "All Kneeling," "A President Is Born," by Fannie Hurst, also several historical books.

Horace W. McDavid of Decatur, Ill., who was elected president of Kiwanis International at the close of the thirteenth annual convention in Milwaukee. He is a lawyer, a former state legislator, and was governor of the Illinois-Eastern Iowa Kiwanis district in 1925.

STAFF OF COUNSELORS AT CAMP SAPPHIRE



SUMMER SCHOOL TO BEGIN MONDAY

Prominent Citizen Dies Soon
After Operation In Green-
ville Hospital

W. J. McCrary, 64-year-old citizen widely known and greatly loved throughout this section, died in a Greenville hospital Tuesday night, and will be buried at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Developing sudden internal troubles, Mr. McCrary was taken to the Greenville hospital, where an operation was performed, from which the well known man failed to rally.

The deceased was a native of this county and has many relatives and friends here. While he had been living in the Marietta section of South Carolina for the past four years, it is said Mr. McCrary still called the Little River section of Transylvania county his home.

Mr. McCrary is survived by his widow, and four sons and three daughters, as follows:

Virgil McCrary, Judson McCrary, Joseph and Avery McCrary; Miss Elsie McCrary of Charlotte, Mrs. Thos. Lowery of Columbia, S. C., and Mrs. Herbert Rhodes of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Funeral services, to be conducted at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, will be held at Little River Baptist church where the deceased had his membership for so many years. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Vaughn, assisted by Rev. W. S. Price, Jr., and Rev. J. F. Scott will conduct the service. Interment will be made in the adjoining cemetery.

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Lieutenant-Governor R. T. Fountain was a visitor in Brevard for a day and a night last week, guest of Senator and Mrs. T. Coleman Galloway and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wilson. The Lieutenant-governor served in the legislature with Mr. Wilson, and was president of the senate of which Mr. Galloway was a member.

Governor Fountain, while often spoken of as a candidate for governor in 1932, said his visit here had no political significance whatever, being here for the two-fold purpose of seeing his old friends and of visiting this wonderful section of which he read and heard so much.

Degree work will be done tonight also.

INSTITUTE ENDS SUMMER SCHOOL

Friday of this week brings the end of the Summer School session at the Brevard Institute, which is declared by officials to have been one of the most successful sessions held at that popular center. Many people from other sections and states are enrolled in this session, while several young men and young women from the county schools and the Brevard High School have been doing special work.

This summer school is rapidly developing into a big factor in the educational circles here, and Brevard gains much advantages through the wide publicity given the Institute.

MRS. CARR ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Frank Carr entertained with a buffet supper Tuesday night, honoring Mrs. A. G. Kyle's house guests, Miss Helen Boyers and Miss Grace Thoenen, of Sisterville, W. Va. After supper card games were enjoyed. Those present were Misses Helen Boyers, Grace Thoenen, Dorothy Silverstein, Mrs. A. G. Kyle, Mr. Kyle, Randall Everett, Jr., Jimmie Sledge, Obie Wilson, Pete and "Repeat" Pithoud.

LOCAL FIRE DEPT. GIVEN BIG CHEERS

Decorated Old 1907 Reo and
Attended Convention at
Hendersonville

Brevard's fire laddies are attending the convention in Hendersonville of the State Firemen's Association, and entered one of the most attractive cars in the parade held Wednesday afternoon. Members of the Brevard department have long owned the first automobile that ever came to this community. It is an old Reo made in 1907, and was first owned by the late Jule Aiken.

The boys have made a fire truck out of the old car, which is one of the high seated affairs, which cranks on the side, with one cylinder right under the front seat. The fire boys have decorated the thing up in style, placing a ladder and a tub of water, with other old time fire fighting apparatus on it.

The old car was entered in the parade, being manned by Dan Merrill and Philip Price. Chief of the department, J. S. Bromfield, was present at the parade and directed the boys in the conduct of their 1907 model, which, by the way, is still running strong.

HOSPITAL DAY TO
BE OBSERVED HERE

Plans are being perfected for the observance of Hospital Day in Brevard, which will be an event of Saturday, July 27.

An interesting program has been arranged to be presented Saturday afternoon at Transylvania Hospital, at which time the principal speaker will be Dr. Wilkerson, of Greenville. A shower of linens and anything necessary to hospital equipment will be held also at this time, and it is expected that the local hospital will benefit greatly as result of this show.

Much interest is being manifested in the observance of the day on the part of individuals, organizations and firms. At the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday night this organization pledged its support and co-operation in making of the day a successful event. Other organizations of the town are fully in sympathy with the work of the hospital committee, and are co-operating in many ways to make a success of the day.

The hospital committee, headed by Mrs. H. N. Carrier and Mrs. D. L. English, have put forth much effort in working out the details of Hospital Day observance. It is expected that not only Brevard residents but their visiting friends and people throughout the county will participate in the events of the day, thereby showing appreciation of the value of Transylvania Hospital, which is an institution generally rated as one of the county's greatest assets.

PAY UP NOW AT RATE OF TWO DOLLARS FOR ONE*

* For three weeks The Brevard News has been making great offer to its subscribers, in its Two-For-One Proposition. That is, for each ONE Dollar paid on subscriptions during this period, whether on old or new subscriptions, we give a receipt for TWO Dollars. Many people have taken advantage of this offer. It is soon to be withdrawn and those desiring to take advantage of it ought to do so at once, for we are going to withdraw the proposition pretty soon.

THOSE WHO ARE NOT
PAID UP AT THE CLOSE OF
THIS OFFER WILL BE DROP-
PED FROM OUR MAILING
LIST.

BALLYHO EVENT IS BIG ATTRACTION

Event Staged To Welcome
Professional Golfer
To Brevard

That Ballyho Tournament staged Wednesday on the Brevard golf course proved to be one of the most enjoyable affairs ever witnessed here. The unusual plan of the tournament is suggested by its name—ballyho. Instead of observing the usual quiet when a player is driving, the plan of this tournament was for all others to make all the noise they could, and the Brevard golfers most assuredly can make noise.

Flight of nine players were started off, the player making the high score on No. 1, to drop out, and so on, the last man to fall being declared the winner of the flight as he completed the ninth hole alone.

The tournament was staged for the purpose of giving a greeting and a welcome to Mr. J. C. Eldridge, a professional golfer, who was attracted to this section because of the unusually fine course here.

Mr. Eldridge will be in Brevard for a short time, and it is said will give instruction to any golfer desiring such. He is at the Franklin hotel, and it is believed many people will take advantage of his presence and learn something about the game from a man who really knows golf.

In the men's flights Wednesday, Billy Watts and Sherman Hammatt tied for honor place, and were forced to play off the tie. In the play-off, Hammatt defeated Watts.

In the ladies' flights, Mrs. Henry Plummer, Mrs. S. M. Macie and Miss Louise Croushorn were winners, and these three are to play Thursday for winner's place.

ATTORNEYS FORM BAR ASSOCIATION

Lawyers of Brevard met last Saturday and organized the Brevard Bar association, and elected officers. Wm. E. Breese was elected president of the association. Judge D. L. English placed Mr. Breese's name in nomination, declaring that as he was the oldest lawyer in the county the honor of being first president of the association ought to go to him. In this there was unanimous accord.

Ralph H. Ramsey was elected secretary of the association.

Following lawyers in addition to these officers, were enrolled as members:

Ralph R. Fisher, Lewis P. Hamlin, Pat Kimsey, D. L. English, J. E. Frazier, T. C. Galloway, R. L. Gash, A. F. Mitchell.

A committee was appointed to prepare by-laws, as follows:

L. P. Hamlin, chairman; R. R. Fisher, D. L. English, T. C. Galloway and Ralph H. Ramsey.

MILK INSPECTION ASSURED FOR CITY

Brevard is to have inspection of all dairies serving milk and dairy products on the market of the town, according to an ordinance passed at the last meeting of the mayor and board of aldermen. This means that all dairy cows must pass inspection in order for products from such dairy to be classed as first grade milk. The ordinance does not prohibit sale of milk lower than grade A, but does require that all milk be labelled as the grade indicates after inspection.

The ordinance in no way interferes with shipments of cream, an industry that is growing rapidly in this town just now. Full text of the ordinance will soon be published in this paper.

WANT FARMERS TO VISIT THE CAPITAL

(By J. F. CORBIN)

The State Agricultural College at Raleigh will hold its 27th annual Farmers Week this year from July 22 to 27. These conventions are held yearly for the purpose of acquainting the dirt farmer with what the college is trying to do, the college men, the experiments that are being run, and in general to show them their own college that is run for them and paid for by them.

The writer is attempting to get a truck load of farm men from Transylvania to go down there for just one or two days. It is 300 miles down there and would require one hard day's drive. The college will furnish rooms and beds, and meals will have to be paid for at about 50 cents each. If a dozen men could be secured to go in a truck the expenses would be about \$15 each. There are many farm projects going on between here and the college of interest that we could stop by and see. I am sure the trip will mean much to the county and more to those who go. I will be glad to accompany the men down there.

All who wish to go get in touch with the writer.

CAMPS BRING MANY PEOPLE TO COUNTY

Large Number of Parents Fol-
low Campers to This
Community

Brevard's summer population and activities in general have greatly increased during the past two weeks since the opening of the 14 organized summer camps for boys and girls located in various sections of the county.

Many of the parents of the boys and girls accompanied the campers to Brevard and are spending the season in the various boarding houses, hotels or cottages throughout the town while their children are in attendance at the different camps during the eight weeks' session.

The influx of visitors occasioned by the opening of the camps, together with the regular tourists coming to Brevard from various sections of the country, thereby increases the number of people in the community to a great extent. Evidence of this is shown by the enlivened activity along the streets and in the various places of business and amusement centers.

While a few of the camps report a slightly decreased enrollment, the majority are operating at capacity limit, and all of the camp directors express the opinion that present indications give promise of a most successful season in every respect. The personnel of the camp staff at the various camps and the fine spirit in evidence among the campers is said to be of an unusually high order for the present session.

SINGING CLASS IS GIVEN RECEPTION

In one of the most appealing entertainments ever enjoyed by local people of the town and county in a social Orphanage at Oxford captivated once again the hearts of the people of the town and county in a concert at the High School building last Monday night. The largest crowd ever attending the annual visits of these children greeted the class this week, and more money was raised for the institution than at any previous concert here. The fact that the Eastern Star has been organized here during the past year, and the labors of this chapter assisted in selling the tickets and planning for the event, is recognized as the factor in increasing the attendance and the success of the concert.

The concert is really worth while, and those who witnessed the performance were doubly repaid in that they witnessed an unusually fine exhibition and at the same time contributed to one of the most worthy causes known to man.

BOARD TO MEET FOR BUDGET HEARING

It is expected large numbers of citizens will be present at the meeting next Monday, when hearings on the budget estimate, as published last week, will be held. Citizens of the county have expressed much pleasure over the announcement that the tax rate has been cut 52 cents on the dollar, according to the estimate.

It is not known, of course, what suggestions will be made to the board by the citizens at the Monday meeting, or whether there will arise necessity for adding items that might reduce the proposed cut in the tax rate. After the hearings have been held, and all preliminary work completed, the actual tax rate will be adopted by the board.

ON THE FARM BOARD

Carl Williams of Oklahoma City who has been appointed by President Hoover as a member of the federal farm board. Mr. Williams is the former president of the American Cotton Growers Exchange and vice president of the National Council Farmers Cooperative Marketing Association.